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Carla Victor/For the Review

**COOL RUNNING** – Dena Wannamaker with six dog purebred team and Rachel Wannamaker with four dog purebred team test the trails for the March 11 and 12 Rosebud Run Sled Dog Classic.

## High risk re-offenders not welcome

BY TAMARA COLLINS  
*Didsbury Review*

A letter from mayor Dorothy Moore will be sent to notify government officials about the concerns town council has for the safety of the community.

On Feb. 10, local RCMP notified the public that Allan Pratt would be released into the town the following day on a 12 hour unsupervised visit from the Bowden Institute.

Pratt is serving time for first degree murder. The murder took place when Pratt was on a similar unsupervised visit.

The community did not take the news well and calls quickly went out to the RCMP, MP Myron Thompson's office, and the Bowden Institute, expressing concern over the decision.

Later that day the visit was temporarily cancelled, according to the National Parole Board.

Moore will send a letter to federal officials urging a review of the appropriate legislation so that criminals such as Pratt, who have committed murder, numerous violent acts and who are likely to reoffend are not released into the community.

Letters will be sent to Prime Minister Steven Harper, Justice Minister Vic Toews, and Thompson.

"Council is responsible both to represent the views and concerns of residents and to ensure that we provide good government and a structure that supports the values of our community and provides for their overall best interests in the long and short term," said Moore. "We will be writing letters to support those who have demonstrated their understanding of and concern for the safety of our community."

Town council also wishes to formally express its support of the RCMP detachment and its members in their

decision to release the information about the release of an inmate categorized as potentially (and historically) dangerous.

"We will ask that our RCMP be allowed to continue to inform the community of potential risks. And that we commend and appreciate their continuing demonstration of how they serve and protect with honour within the Didsbury detachment area," said Moore. "Our discussions

with our member of parliament, Myron Thompson, have confirmed our mutual support for a larger priority in decisions within the justice department and its facilities and policies for the best interests of communities. The letters will document both our concerns and our appreciation to all decision makers involved."

Council made the decision to direct mayor Moore to send the letter at its town council meeting last Tuesday.

## Fire agreement a done deal

BY TAMARA COLLINS  
*Didsbury Review*

A fire agreement between the town of Didsbury and the Mountain View County (MVC) is another step in a county-wide strategy to work toward mutual goals that will benefit all.

Didsbury already had a fire agreement, as did each of the other municipalities, now these agreements align with each other.

"The Didsbury and District Fire Authority is a joint organization with a board composed of members from the county and the town," said Mayor Dorothy Moore. "The new fire agreement is part of an initiative to align all of the different fire agreements within the county into a general agreement with provisions for the differences between communities as well."

The six municipalities met over a period of months to work out the details of the general agreement and a formula that would address the variances.

"It was a more comprehensive process than initially envisioned but it was also the initial demonstration of

the more progressive and cooperative relationship that the six municipalities have agreed to," said Moore.

The agreement states MVC will share costs for these services under a number of guidelines.

There is to be a base cost to provide fire services for urban and rural residents irrespective of the volume of fire calls which should be shared equally.

There will be costs which vary with the number of fire calls which should be shared based on call volume.

There may be fixed costs in some urban centres which are greater than the base cost.

And, being that rural residents may benefit from the additional services requiring these increased costs, the county will share these costs on a per capita basis.

The county will make annual financial contributions to store and protect firefighting equipment.

The county will also purchase or cost share firefighting equipment depending on the reasons for the equipment purchases.

The agreement was passed at last week's town council meeting.



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# Glimmer Auto and Classic Autobody steal the World of Wheels show

BY TAMARA COLLINS  
Didsbury Review

Muscle car and hot rod manufacturer Glimmer Auto Fabricators Inc. and auto-body shop Classic Autobody cleaned up the top awards at the World of Wheels Show.

They took home three best of show awards and one most outstanding.

The show, which took place last weekend in Calgary, was so successful according to Glimmer owner Len Watt, his phone is "ringing off the wall" with people who want their cars to become award winners.

"We did excellent, we really cleaned up on those awards," said Watt. "I was very surprised, there is a lot of really awesome stuff down there. I was not expecting so many best in class."

Glimmer's booth was worth almost half a million dollars.

On display was a 1971 Camaro, which won best of class; a 1934 Ford five window coupe which also won best of class; and a 1968 Chevy pickup which took home the most outstanding truck award.

The biggest winner out of the locals' display was a 1947 Mercury convertible which won best of class, second for Street Rod Heaven, and second for overall pre-1972 vintage for the entire show.

Classic Autobody owner Bernie Haffner is the owner of the 1947 Mercury convert-

ible which was the show's triple winner.

"We work on these cars every day so we know their flaws - things other people would never notice," said Watt. "All cars

have them but I was still surprised. There were some outstanding vehicles there with a lot of money spend on them."

This is not the first year Glimmer stole the show. During last year's World of

Wheels they won all top awards for their four car display.

This year the winnings included some plaques, cash and crystal.

They also received points in the International Auto Show circuit.

"It was absolutely fantastic, we got huge recognition," said Watt. "We really worked as a team with Classic Autobody. We have a great relationship. This relationship helps us do a car, start to finish."

Next on the agenda for Glimmer are shows in Edmonton, Saskatoon, and Toronto.

"Bernie and I really want to thank our staff for their hard work and effort for this show," said Watt. "We could not do this without them."

**"We did excellent, we really cleaned up on those awards. I was very surprised, there is a lot of really awesome stuff down there. I was not expecting so many best in class."**

LEN WATT

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Voting will take place on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2006, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Voting stations will be located at:

1. Royal Canadian Legion  
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2. Water Valley Community Hall  
Water Valley, AB T0M 2E0

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Returning Officer

MAFP 754 (2001/01)



Glimmer Auto's booth at the World of Wheels Show



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1971 Camaro



# Superintendent asks community to become aware of separate school system

BY SHAWNE MOHL  
for the Review

Jim Gibbons wants the community to get in the know and help make the decisions.

Gibbons, the Superintendent of Schools for Chinook's Edge School Division (CESD) says that parents and community members need to realize that a separate school system has received approval to open its doors in the Town of Olds, which will put a strain on the entire division.

CESD currently stretches from Carstairs north to Sylvan Lake, and includes one school within the City of Red Deer. Gibbons says that out of all of these communities there are two which are growing are a high rate. The others are either only seeing very small growth, and in some cases a decline, which is of great concern to him and the Board.

"In Chinook's Edge, only the communities of Sylvan Lake and Carstairs are currently showing growth in student enrollment," Gibbons wrote in a letter to parents within the school division.

Gibbons says that he is not in any way trying to say that a separate school division shouldn't be allowed to come in, but he says the community at large need to become educated on what is occurring.

"The way the formation of the separate school division is set up the larger community is not aware of it," he said. "The larger community never gets to talk about it, so the Board wanted to bring it to the communities' attention."

Gibbons says that he was asked, on behalf of the Board, to write the letter to parents.

"The Board wants to know how do we plan for the future of our schools, how do we maintain the viability of our small, rural schools and yet respect the right of the separate schools education system, according to the constitution," he said. "How it's set up right now, we don't get to be part of the planning such as where is the next expanded 4x4 going to be. The Board just wants to have the community say, 'what do you think of this?'"

The letter from Gibbons explained that currently CESD is bussing students from outside of their normal school jurisdictions to maintain school populations.

"For example, do you realize that one

school system buses students from Innisfail to Bowden to try to maintain the population of Bowden (Grandview) School while the other system buses students from Bowden to a centralized school in Innisfail? And do you realize that there are buses from four different school systems that pick up and drop off in Penhold? Can this be wise spending of taxpayers dollars?" Gibbons asked parents in his letter.

The top administrator says that it makes the Board's job harder to plan for the future when the population continues to decline because there is a price tag attached to each student. The more students you have, the more money.

He says that in CESD, despite some growth occurring along the Highway 2 corridor, trying to operate two systems is going to be a challenging task.

"Trying to operate two publicly funded systems within the same boundaries when student population is declining can have a serious impact on the sustainability of small towns and villages. The number of teacher specialists in areas such as music, art, physical education, library, and technology is reduced when two small schools try to offer the same programs," he went on in his letter. "Today's method of (government) funding, where a price tag is attached to each child, encourages choice but when students are bused out of small communities, the local school is left without sufficient resources to fund its programs. Communities such as Benalto, Penhold and Bowden have experienced this and towns such as Didsbury, Olds and Carstairs have expressed concerns about this happened in their communities," Gibbons said.

The main purpose of this letter is to increase community awareness. He says that residents in the various communities are encouraged to contact their local trustee.

The local trustee for the Carstairs-Cremona-Midway area, Gord Johnson voted against sending this letter out, but couldn't be contacted prior to press time for comment.

To contact your local trustee you can obtain the contact information off of the CESD website at [www.chinooksedge.ab.ca](http://www.chinooksedge.ab.ca) or by phone at 403.227.7070.

## COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS FEBRUARY 21

Bob Wright, Director of Disaster Services gave Council a report regarding the past year's activities and plans for 2006.

Mr. Steve Dodyk, spoke to Council on behalf of the Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board on light pollution. Council has directed the planning department to review the information Mr. Dodyk provided and to bring recommendations to Council as to what requirements the town might take forward regarding improved efficiency in street lighting in future development and re-development in Didsbury.

Council agreed that a letter of concern should be sent to Prime Minister Harper, Justice Minister Towe, M.P. Thompson, M.L.A. Richard Marz and the Warden of the Bowden Institute with regard to the National Parole Board's policies on the release of violent offenders. Council also would like to send a letter of appreciation to the local RCMP detachment for how they handled the proposed release of a vio-

lent offender.

Council approved the Fire Agreement between Mountain View County and the Town of Didsbury. This agreement provides a common framework for all municipalities within the county and outlines the specific schedule of cost sharing of fire protection services within the Didsbury Fire District.

Council accepted an offer from the Economic Development Committee to provide further input to the draft economic development survey created by Council to team up with Council to conduct the survey.

Council approved a Promotion Request of \$160.50 in rental fees from the ZEM & Friends Theatre Players for use of spotlights for the theatre production March 2-5.

Mayor Moore provided a report from the Carstairs Chamber of Commerce meeting she attended on February 16, 2006 to meet with Dr. Lyle Oberg, Minister of Infrastructure and Transportation.



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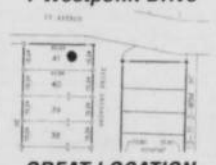
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Mugs Coffee House (winner - Ric Arthurs)  
Ward Value Drug Mart (winner - Palle Frisk)  
Subway (winner - Geraldine Brown)  
Macy's (winner - Jordie Morrison)  
The Bardo (winner - Tyler Allison)  
Didsbury Aquatic Centre (winners - Hannah Bullard & Mary Bullard)  
RE/MAX winners - David Franz, Ayden, Jeff Griffiths, & TJ Icton

**Next RE/MAX Free Family Swim is March 19th.  
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**Allen Reed and Rod Neufeld have left Remax Mountain Aire.  
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# EDITORIAL & OPINION

## Finally snow!



I was so thrilled to wake up last week and discover snow, lots of snow, snow covering everything!

I admit, I was beginning to lose faith that the Rosebud Sleddog Classic would happen, but that faith has been renewed.

Mushers from around the world will soon make their travels to Didsbury, to compete in the Classic, and to discover what a wonderful community we have here.

When I walk around town, I always hear people talking about the upcoming Sleddog Classic, and I hear the anticipation in their voices.

March 11 and 12 is going to be a very exciting weekend for Didsbury, a weekend like we have never experienced before. People will fill our streets, our restaurants, our inns and motels, and our stores.

I have never seen a dog sled race, so that is the most exciting part for me. I can just picture all the action: snow flying everywhere, people cheering, sleds and dogs gliding along... what a thrill.

We do need some more snow to make it happen though, so if only for another week or two, I hope the snow continues.

Let it snow, let it snow, let it snow!

Tamara Collins



## WIND CHILL CHART

(CELSIUS)

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## Report to the Community #5

The earlier reports to the community have addressed Council's first priority of ensuring long-term fiscal viability. Another of Council's top priorities is providing effective, efficient and responsive government: This Council priority led to a comprehensive Town of Didsbury Communication report by staff member Nicole Aasen. The following descriptions of our communication strategies rely heavily on her analysis and information.

Our Didsbury website ([www.didsbury.ca](http://www.didsbury.ca)) provides information about our community which is increasingly accessed by area residents as well as people around the world. You will find the history of Didsbury, wonderful pictures, a map, upcoming events, utility rates, council and administrative information, recreation schedules and much more on an attractive and regularly updated website. We have been told that most corporations narrow their choices to two or three potential sites from the community profiles and information on the community's website alone, and then only contact those communities whose online information addressed their initial screening standards.

The Town Crier is published every second month in a newspaper format, with current information on utilities, new policies, programs, construction, and other town specific information, as well as articles from Council and administration.

We have contracted a more cost effective and consistent Town newspaper ad in the Didsbury Review. The ad includes all of our statutory notices and provides current

Town information on a weekly basis, and now is distributed to all residents here and in surrounding municipalities.

Our best method of communication is by personal contact of all kinds. Your conversations with Council and staff and your letters and phone calls are important to us, formal and informal. We formed our vision and strategies on the input Council received before and during the election campaign, on well attended meetings with Council at the 5-0 club and the Train Station, and your ongoing feedback and input. Our Meet the Taxpayer meetings became so poorly attended that we have been using meetings that are less frequent, larger, and more focused on specific issues. We try to get back to everyone who brings an issue to us with a response. We appreciate your ideas and your obvious commitment to the welfare and vibrancy of the community, and Council clearly shares that commitment.

It is time to review our Didsbury Municipal Development Plan soon, and will be looking to residents to work with us to plan for the Didsbury of the future. How will we retain our character and quality of life as we grow? How will our neighbourhoods look, and how will we ensure our long-term sustainability? What choices do we need to make?

Although the analysis showed that Didsbury is communicating relatively well with its residents, we could do better. We hope to improve the website information, providing clear and complete information to residents about the Town, and tailoring community profile information to match the needs of potential site selectors, so that Didsbury will have more options in future development opportunities. We would like to hear what might work better for you. My direct line is 335-7363.

With my thanks to Nicole Aasen for her research and analysis.

Mayor Dorothy Moore

## YOUR LETTERS

### End of the road

To all my Didsbury and area Readers: These last 3 weeks have been a very trying and disgusting time for me. The Review is not assembled here anymore so I do not get to proofread my articles before they come out in the paper. I cannot stand the mistakes in the dates of the articles inserted in my column, the misspelling of people's names and the straw that broke the camel's back was this week, when a word in the headline of the column by Shirley Thompson regarding the Centennial Trail meeting hosted by the O.O.R.P. was changed, so we have to

explain that to the Town & the Committee and the worst part is, that nobody would own up to changing it. I can't work under conditions like that. I do my job as to the right dates, the correct spelling of names, the proper grammar, but there are those at the paper who certainly don't do theirs.

So this is it, I'm sorry it has to end this way. I have enjoyed doing this for many years, but I'm about at wits' end after these 3 weeks.

Marge St. Clair  
Didsbury

## Thompson welcomes supreme court changes



MYRON THOMPSON  
MP  
Wildrose

Myron Thompson, Member of Parliament for Wild Rose was pleased that the Prime Minister announced a new innovative process that will be used to fill the current vacancy on the Supreme Court of Canada.

"This process is designed to increase openness and accountability. At the centre of the process is a publicly televised appearance by the nominee, next Monday, before the Ad Hoc Committee to Review the Nominee for the Supreme Court," said Thompson.

"The public deserves to know as

much about the individuals appointed to serve in our nation's highest court. This public hearing will be an unprecedented step in this direction," stated Thompson.

The hearing by the Ad Hoc Committee to Review a Nominee for the Supreme Court of Canada is an interim process designed to fill the vacancy left by the retirement of Justice John Major. It does not preclude changes to the Supreme Court appointment's process being made in the future.

"As the Prime Minister stated, he's looking for an individual who has judicial temperament, meaning a judge who is prepared to apply the law, rather than make it and who uses common sense and discretion without being inventive. This will be a welcome change and one that has been a long time in the coming," concluded Thompson.

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# Didsbury's online events calender

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This calendar is provided for organizations in the

Didsbury area who would like to share their events with everyone.

Organizations are given a special user name and password and can update the calendar in real time whenever they want.

Businesses can even get in on it if they want to promote a special event they're hosting.

Participants involved to date include: Curves for Women, the Agricultural Society, Chamber of Commerce, Elks Lodge, Lifeline Society, Lions Club, Minor Hockey,

Didsbury Parks and Arena, Friends of Didsbury Hospital, Prairies to Peaks Tourism, Seniors Services, Town of Didsbury, and the West Didsbury 4-H Club.

One of the great things about this community calendar is that when volunteers for non-profit organizations are thinking of hosting an event, whether from Didsbury or a neighbouring community, they can check the calendar first to find a weekend that isn't already booked

with another major event.

Even meetings are included, so the general public can attend any of the service club meetings or non-profit group get-togethers.

And it's all free! Organizations that would like to participate are asked to contact the Chamber office at 335-3265.

Check it out on the Chamber's website ... [www.didsburychamber.ca](http://www.didsburychamber.ca), print it and put it on your fridge.

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A deposit of \$100 (one hundred dollars) is required. All cheques to be payable to the Town of Didsbury. The deposit will be refunded upon return of a complete set of documents.

Tender must be accompanied by cheque payable to the Town of Didsbury for Ten (10%) percent of the tender price, or Bid Bond in the same amount. Also, to ensure consideration of the Tender, each Tender must be accompanied by a Consent of Surety as required by the Contract Documents and must meet the other requirements to be deemed compliant as listed in the Contract Documents.

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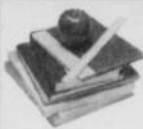
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## Elks No. 514 AGM

The Didsbury Elks held their Annual General meeting on Thursday February 23, 2006. The Executive reported that the Lodge is in strong financial position and they anticipate another active year. The Elks intend to remain a strong organization in the Community however since we have shut down the weekly Bingo we must seek other means of creating revenue for the various projects that are planned. Our committees are actively developing innovative ideas for fundraising. For example what is a "Suit Case Party"? Our next meeting on March 9, 2006, is a Supper Meeting. Any person interested in the Elks is welcome to attend.

## ROSS FORD ELEMENTARY



**2006-2007 KINDERGARTEN  
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Wednesday, March 8, 2006 7:00 p.m.  
Ross Ford Elementary School Library

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#### MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION:

Wednesday, March 15, 2006 - Council Chambers, 4:30 pm

#### LIFELINE SOCIETY:

Monday, March 13, 2006 - Council Chambers, 10:00 a.m.

### NEW DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATIONS:

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Further information may be obtained at the Town Office. Person(s) wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing with the appropriate fees to the secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 pm on **March 14, 2006**.

Robert Wigg, Development Officer

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# NEIGHBOURHOOD PLACE

## Wannamaker takes sixth at Canadian Challenge

BY TAMARA COLLINS  
Didsbury Review

Battling the brutal cold, Rick Wannamaker took sixth place at the Canadian Challenge without much snow training and while adjusting to the new format.

The annual sleddog race started out in Prince Albert on Feb. 15 and for the first two and a half miles, Wannamaker carried a CTV camera woman on his sled.

For the first 65 miles, Wannamaker said the weather was chilly but not that bad.

He did not know what was in store ahead though, which was the coldest weather either he or his dogs have ever ran in.

"When I got to the checkpoint in Elk Ridge it was extremely cold," said Wannamaker. "We (he and wife Dena) put coats on the dogs, we really bundled them up. The weather got really bad, so they held us there for awhile. It was whiteout conditions."

The temperature went as low as -58 degrees Celsius with wind chill.

Wannamaker kept himself warm with boot warmers, hand warmers, beaver mitts, a face mask, and lots of layers.

"I was still cold," he said. "A lot of guys out there got frostbite."

At the Elk Ridge checkpoint Wannamaker was forced to drop one of his best dogs after it injured its wrist, leaving him with 11.

Dropping a dog meant leaving it with Dena, where it could be cared for.

The next checkpoint was in Weyakwin and upon arriving there, Wannamaker said his dogs were feeling pretty good.

"They were not eating as best as we thought they should," said Wannamaker. "We watched a native musher nearby who trains in extreme cold. And he put his dogs in the dog box on the truck and then feeds them. So we tried this and it worked really well. The dogs ate quite a bit."

At this checkpoint, Wannamaker said people were still concerned about the cold weather so they remained there for six hours. One hour Wannamaker spent sleeping and the rest of the time was spent massaging and feeding the dogs.

"The dogs dehydrate a lot faster in that weather, because they do not drink as much water," said Wannamaker. "We gave them lots of snacks."

The team finally left there at 9 p.m. At that point the temperature was -46 with wind chill.

They then arrived at the halfway point at 3 a.m. which was in La Ronge.



Rick Wannamaker starts off the Canadian Challenge with his team.

Wannamaker spent five hours sledding in the dark because the battery for his lights did not last as long as they usually do, due to the extreme cold.

"The moon lit up everything though. It was just gorgeous," he said.

As part of the new format in the race, a mass start took place with all 17 teams on the lake at the halfway point. The shot of an airhorn marked the go time.

"I was nervous. We heard a lot of horror stories about the mass starts," said Wannamaker. "There was enough snow though, so there were lanes for each team. It turned out to be cool. It was very exciting for the spectators."

The wind was really blowing on the lake so Wannamaker said he put the coats back on the dogs. Then the temperature quickly rose and the dogs really slowed down.

"I had to take the coats off again, then their speed picked back up," he said. "I was just being over cautious and I ruined about half an hour."

As the team headed back to Weyakwin, the dogs ran better and better, and the weather really improved.

"The trip from Weyakwin to Elk Ridge was pretty nice," said Wannamaker. "I saw other teams on the trail that I got to talk to. One lady told me I talked too much."

Once arriving in Elk Ridge, Wannamaker said the team just stopped for a quick snack and drink and continued on their way.

Wannamaker was the sixth one through the finish line, finishing with 10 dogs - the most dogs of all the teams.

"There were vets at every checkpoint," said Wannamaker. "At the end they shook our hands and told us we did a great job taking care of the dogs."

Jessie Royer won first place and three teams did not finish.

"I think sixth place is still very respectable. It was a brutal race. That cold really takes a lot out of it," said Wannamaker, who placed second in the race last year. "Last year the coldest it got was -25 degrees with wind chill and that was only for a few hours."

Wannamaker was upset he was unable to train a lot in the snow due to the weather conditions here this year.

"We did our training on a quad," said Wannamaker. "We were the only ones with no snow to train on."

It had crossed the Wannamakers' minds not to compete in the challenge this year, but they eventually decided to go through with it.

"The new format really hurts us," said Wannamaker. "The mass start at the halfway point and the mandatory stops turns the race into more of a sprint race than a distance race. The continuous format from last year is much more dog friendly."

According to Wannamaker, one of the best teams in the world pulled out of the race because they felt there was too much mandatory rest.

"I was half an hour out of third place and one hour out of first," said Wannamaker. "This year it seemed to be more about how hard you can drive the dogs whereas last year it was about managing and conditioning them."

One of the Didsbury family's favourite things about the race was the inspirational people they met.

"In the cold weather you become very close with the other people competing very fast," said Wannamaker. "It is very special what we all went through. At some points you wonder why you are doing this. First no snow to train on then terrible weather conditions. But once you get to the race everyone pulls together. It is a warm, fuzzy feeling."

Wannamaker said he could not have done it without the help of Olds sponsors Trackside and Husqvarna, Iams, Dick and Valeda Wannamaker, and Joyce Mullen, and the amazing core of volunteers that were out in the cold for days with no sleep.

"I have no regrets. It was an adventure," said Wannamaker.

"I am not sure if we will do it again next year, we will see."



Carla Victor/For the Review

**Post Race** - Home from the Canadian Challenge, Dena Wannamaker exercises her purebred team to keep them in shape for the upcoming Rosebud Run Sleddog Classic.



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# The obstacles of bike trialing

BY TAMARA COLLINS  
Didsbury Review

Bike trialing - one of the latest sports crazes - is a form of offroad cycling

derived from motorcycle trials where one slowly negotiates man-made and natural obstacles.

For the first time, this exciting sport will be

brought to the Didsbury area with a bike trials competition on March 12, starting at 10:30 a.m. at Rocksprings Farms.

Competitors will range in

age from 13 to 32. Some will be competing for the first time while others have been doing it for ten years, such as organizer Felix Lee.

"I have been active in the trials community for a long time and I usually go to competitions in the Calgary or Kananaskis area," said Lee. "There is usually a big competition at the Outdoor Show in Calgary but this year they did not have the space so they dropped it."

Lee, being a Didsbury resident, thought it would be great to get a competition in the area but just needed to find the indoor space.

That is when he discovered Rocksprings Farms, located at the first place north of the corner of Bergen Rd. and Range Rd. 4.1.

"There were a lot of disappointed riders when they cancelled the one in Calgary, so I stepped up and said I would put something on," said Lee. "There is going to be quite a bit of action."

The competition will include a set of six major obstacles and a bunch of smaller ones.

Each competitor will have under two minutes to complete the obstacle without touching their feet to the ground.

"I am still building on the obstacles, but one will include a six foot diameter spool, another spool on an angle, and a flat one, with a four foot gap in between. The rider will have to jump from one to another."

Lee says this could be a potentially dangerous sport but it is safer than mountain biking.

"In this level of riding, the competitors have a lot of practice, so accidents are rare," said Lee.

Lee first got into trialing at a mountain bike race, when he saw other bikers hopping around on one wheel.

"I tried it out, and then I discovered it was a sport, the same as motorcycle trials," said Lee. "It is a very interesting branch of cycling."

Riders from across the province will come together at the Rocksprings competition, which Lee says is turning into a battle between

Edmonton and Calgary.

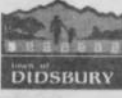
"There are 18 riders signed up so far and they are pretty much split, living near Calgary or Edmonton," said Lee. "It is going to be very exciting. I encourage spectators to come out and watch."

There is no charge for spectators and if you would like to compete there is still room. You can email Felix Lee at [fixlee@telus.net](mailto:fixlee@telus.net) and the cost is \$30.



Carla Victor for the Review

**AIR TIME** - Didsbury biker Felix Lee gets in some practice time at the local skateboard park Friday. Lee is organizing a bike trials obstacle course competition for March 12.



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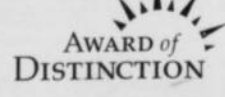
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## Elks assist with neonatal scale



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**STRIKE WON** - S'no denying this jump on Didsbury's popular tobogganing run may have hurt Blake Strike, 12, initially, but he said the pain was worth the air he caught. Students were out in droves with the recent snowfall coinciding with teachers' convention last week.

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## Focus on the Family

More principles of "tough love"



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Focus on the family

### Question:

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### DR. DOBSON:

DR. DOBSON: These eight "Love Must Be Tough" principles that will help you avoid the common pitfalls of those who are trying to win the heart of another during the courtship phase:

10. Beware of blindness to obvious warning signs that tell you that your potential husband or wife is basically disloyal, hateful, spiritually uncommitted, hooked on drugs or alcohol, given to selfishness, etc. Believe me, a bad marriage is far worse than the most lonely instance of singleness.

11. Beginning early in the dating relationship, treat the other person with respect and expect the same in return. A man should open doors for a woman on formal evenings; a woman should speak respectfully of her escort when in public, etc. If you don't preserve this respectful attitude when the foundations of marriage are being laid, it will be virtually impossible to construct them later.

12. Do not equate human worth with flawless beauty or handsomeness! If you require physical perfection in your mate, he or she may make the same demands of you. Neither of you will retain it for long. Don't let love escape you because of the false values of your culture.

13. If genuine love has escaped you thus far, don't begin believing that "no one would ever want me." That is a deadly trap that can destroy you emotionally! Millions of people are looking for someone to love. The problem is finding one another!

14. Regardless of how brilliant the love affair has been, take time to "check your assumptions" with your partner before committing yourself to marriage. It is surprising how often men and women plunge toward matrimony without ever becoming aware of major differences in expectation between them.

15. Sexual familiarity can be deadly to a relationship. In addition to the many moral, spiritual and physical reasons for remaining virgins until marriage, there are numerous psychological and interpersonal advantages as well. Though it's an old-fashioned notion, perhaps, it is still true that men do not respect "easy" women and often become bored with those who have held nothing in reserve. Likewise, women often disrespect men who have only one thing on their minds. Both sexes need to remember how to use a very ancient word. It's pronounced "NO!"

16. Country singer Tom T. Hall wrote a song in which he revealed an understanding of the concept we have been describing. His lyric read, "If you hold love too loosely then it flies away; if you hold love too tightly, it'll die. It's one of the mysteries of life." Hall's observation is accurate. If the commitment between a man and a woman is given insufficient importance in their lives, it will wither like a plant without water. The whole world knows that much. But fewer lovers seem to realize that extreme dependency can be just as deadly to a love affair. It has been said that the person who needs the other least will normally be in control of the relationship. I believe that to be true.

17. There is nothing about marriage that eliminates the basic need for freedom and respect in romantic interactions. Keep the mystery and the dignity in your relationship. If the other partner begins to feel trapped and withdraws for a time, grant him or her some space and pull back yourself. Do not build a cage around that person. Instead, release your grip with confidence while never appearing immorality or destructive behavior.

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**Sew Easy - Anika Sherick, 9,** arranges quilting squares during a quilting day-camp at Cozy Quilting in Didsbury. The program kept students busy during teachers' convention.

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#### MCCUE

Betty McCue formerly of Drumheller and Calgary, resided in Didsbury for the past 22 years and passed away February 22, 2006 at the age of 84 years. Betty will be lovingly remembered by her family, husband Thomas of 63 years, daughters Susan, Madeline, Elizabeth, Frances (Mike), Peter, sons John (Iris), Ian (Elaine), Tim (Joy), Bill (Lorraine), Richard. Grandchildren Tamara, Teresa, Thomas, Jason, Samantha, Vanessa, Misty, Sara, Evan, Michelle, Dustin, Tim, Jeff, Jason, Amanda, Amy, Jamie, Erin, Kristin, Justin, great-grandchildren Hunter, Michaela, Chase, Shelbi, Justin, Brooke, Phoenix, Harmony and Molly. Betty was predeceased by her daughter Caroline. A celebration of life will be held at St. Cyprian's Anglican Church, 2037 - 24 Ave., Didsbury on Saturday, March 4, 2006 at 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers a donation in memory of Betty May be made to the Salvation Army, Community and Family Services, 822 - 420 - 9th Ave. SE, Calgary AB T2G 0R9. **PERSONAL ALTERNATIVE FUNERAL SERVICES**, Calgary - 1-888-216-5111

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## Didsbury Chamber of Commerce Chat Retail's David and Goliath

Forty years ago, Mom and Pop were an endangered species as corporate retail advanced quickly through the consumer heartland of the world. But

today, small business is clawing its way back as Canadians look to shore up their local communities in the face of daunting globalization, terrorism, corporate scandal and divisive politics.

The stage is set for an incredible battle already underway between retail's David and Goliath.

The Didsbury Chamber of Commerce is pleased to be presenting a movie at their March 9 General Membership Meeting. "Independent America: The Two Lane Search for Mom & Pop" uncovers a growing discontent across the country.

The film is a co-production between Toronto's Open Door Co., and Kelowna B.C.'s HRH Media. The film follows

Canadians Hanson Hosein (Emmy Award winner and former NBC News foreign correspondent) and his wife, journalist Heather Hughes (NBC, CNN among others) as they hit the road and travel 21,000 kilometres through 32 U.S. states in search of "Independent America".

The filmmakers speak to economists, activists, political leaders, union members, entrepreneurs, and concerned Americans from all walks of life. They also have a frank conversation with a top executive from the planet's retail overlord: Wal-Mart.

This film will encourage us to think hard about how we spend our money. And it will offer others a rare view of a complex nation at loggerheads with the

free market it so proudly mastered.

With the Chamber working to develop its own "Local First" awareness campaign, the showing of this documentary is very timely. The premise behind Didsbury's "Local First" is that if we all shop locally first, the spiral will be upward not downward, and we will all benefit. Every dollar spent in town will be re-spent seven times before it leaves our community.

All businesses are welcome to attend the March general meeting. For details, or to book your spot, call Bill at the Chamber office, 335-3265, or send an e-mail to [info@didsburychamber.ca](mailto:info@didsburychamber.ca). Check us out on the web at [www.didsburychamber.ca](http://www.didsburychamber.ca).

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The Didsbury Trade Show offers an excellent venue to showcase businesses, products or services. With more and more people moving to Didsbury and the Calgary-Edmonton corridor, businesses are pleased with the amount of exposure they receive. Last year's show consisted of 110 booths and drew over 4,000 visitors from all over Central Alberta, and a few from out of province. As of this writing, the trade show is already 65% sold out, evidence of the impact past exhibitors can attribute to their participation in this Trade Show.

"We always hear comments from our trade show visitors," says Show Co-Chair, Kathleen Windsor. "People want more chances to buy things. They want to know what's new, and they want to know how to do different projects like painting techniques and laying patio stones, that type of thing."

There are lots of special features designed to

increase attendance and to entertain show patrons. The weekend starts with the Front Porch Realty Pancake Breakfast on Saturday morning. Then show patrons will visit the Town of Didsbury's Volunteer Village, the Royal Bank Financial Taste of Didsbury Food Court, CKLJ Radio's Local Talent Feature on the Tanas Stage all day Saturday, the Prairies to Peaks Tourism Trail, home and garden, hobby and crafts demonstrations at the Victoria Square Mall Demonstration Booth, and the two-day Gilded Gallery Art Show & Sale. Back by popular demand is the Top Note Music Studio Fiddlers Jambooree on Sunday afternoon. And it wouldn't be a trade show without door prizes! And lots of them!

"We hope all businesses take advantage of the opportunity to showcase their products and services," adds Windsor. "It's a great chance to meet with their customers face to face. They really shouldn't pass up this opportunity."

Anyone interested in booking a booth at the Trade Show is asked to call Joelle Fournier at 335-9742. Other details can be seen on the web at [www.didsburychamber.ca](http://www.didsburychamber.ca).

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## SPORTS

## DMH Provincial player profiles

**Name: Jesse Gole**

Height: 5'3 Weight: 101 lbs Shoots: Left  
 Position Played and #: Forward, #12  
 How many years have you played Bantam: 1st year Bantam  
 Have you ever attended Provincials before: Yes, in Fairview when I played Atom  
 When did you start playing hockey: In Tyke, age 6  
 Favourite Hockey Memory: Going to Fairview and going to the Timbits Tournament in Tyke  
 Thoughts about provincials: I'm really excited that we are hosting it and it will be my second chance to win it (hopefully)  
 Favourite Quote or Song: Hockey is my religion, and I'm very religious.

**Name: Curtis Smith (Smitty)**

Height: 5'4 Weight: 115 lbs Shoots: Right  
 Position Played and #: Defense, #16  
 How many years have you played Bantam: 1st year Bantam  
 Have you ever attended Provincials before: Yes, in Fairview when I played Atom  
 When did you start playing hockey: Tyke  
 Favourite Hockey Memory: Going to Provincials in Fairview. The Bus trip was a blast!  
 Thoughts about provincials: Bring it On! Playing at home with our friends and family watching will be cool.  
 Favourite Quote or Song: Winners never Quit and Quitters never win!

**Name: Justin Gebers (Red Light)**

Height: 5'4 Weight: 120 lbs Shoots: Left  
 Position Played and #: Goaltender, #31  
 How many years have you played Bantam: 1st year Bantam  
 Have you ever attended Provincials before: Yes, in Fairview.  
 When did you start playing hockey: Tyke.  
 Favourite Hockey Memory: Going to Provincials in Fairview  
 Thoughts about provincials: Neat O Gang!  
 Favourite Quote or Song: Pantara - Domination

**Name: Trent Uhrich**

Height: 5'7 Weight: 140 lbs Shoots: Left  
 Position Played and #: Forward, #7  
 How many years have you played Bantam: 2nd year Bantam  
 Have you ever attended Provincials before: No  
 When did you start playing hockey: Tyke.  
 Favourite Hockey Memory: Winning the Banners in Pee Wee and in Novice I was on a breakaway and scored and we won the game with 10 sec. left on the clock  
 Thoughts about provincials: One Game at a time!  
 Favourite Quote or Song: Pat Green - Wave on Wave

**Name: Zac McCargar**

Height: 5'8 Weight: 125 lbs Shoots: Right  
 Position Played and #: Defense, #8  
 How many years have you played Bantam: 2nd year Bantam  
 Have you ever attended Provincials before: No  
 When did you start playing hockey: In Tyke.  
 Favourite Hockey Memory: Ice Dogs in second year Novice. We had a great team  
 Thoughts about provincials: Everyone needs to work hard every shift!  
 Favourite Quote or Song: Just because I rock doesn't mean I am made of stone.

**Name: James Lefebvre**

Height: 5'5 Weight: 119 lbs Shoots: Left  
 Position Played and #: Forward, #14  
 How many years have you played Bantam: 2nd year PeeWee, James is affiliated to the Bantams  
 Have you ever attended Provincials before: Yes, in Fairview 1st year Atom and Thorsby 2nd year Atom  
 When did you start playing hockey: Tyke.  
 Favourite Hockey Memory: Scoring the winning goal in the Kneehill Tournament last year and then we won the tournament  
 Thoughts about provincials: Pretty Awesome!  
 Favourite Quote or Song: 100% of the shots you don't take don't go in!

**Name: Braydon Snyder**

Height: 5'10 Weight: 153 lbs Shoots: Left  
 Position Played and #: Defense, #20  
 How many years have you played Bantam: 1st year Bantam  
 Have you ever attended Provincials before: No  
 When did you start playing hockey: House League age 8  
 Favourite Hockey Memory: Making it to league finals last year  
 Thoughts about provincials: Can't wait until opening ceremonies and meeting better teams  
 Favourite Quote or Song: Git'er Done! BYOB - System of the Down

**Name: Tyler Lahucik (Hooch)**

Height: 6'2 Weight: 150 lbs Shoots: Right  
 Position Played and #: Goaltender and Trainer  
 How many years have you played Bantam: Overage Midget  
 Have you ever attended Provincials before: No  
 When did you start playing hockey: 13 years old.  
 Favourite Hockey Memory: Saving the Puck!  
 Thoughts about provincials: Pumped!  
 Favourite Quote or Song: A Hoax to live for by Dead Poetic

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## 5 OBITUARIES

**WINGER** - Harold Orin Winger passed away peacefully on February 21, 2006 at the Didsbury Long-Term Care Facility. He was predeceased by his parents Ole and Catherine and his first wife Dorothy. He is survived by his wife Mabel and step children Rita (Bob), George (Laura), as well as numerous Grandchildren and Great Grandchildren, sister Helen, nephew Dale (Ruth), niece Karen (Warren), great nephew Christopher and great niece Rhonda. Born in Piapot, Saskatchewan, Harold moved with his family to the Carstairs Area where he farmed for many years. Harold was an active member of the Mountain View Seed Cleaning Plant and served as the Regional director for 3 consecutive terms. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to the Canadian Cancer Society or the Heart and Stroke Foundation. Condolences may be forwarded to the family from [www.mountainviewfuneralchapel.com](http://www.mountainviewfuneralchapel.com). A Funeral Service was held from the Carstairs Bancroft United Church, Carstairs, Alberta on Saturday, February 25, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. with Reverend Sung-Chul Choi officiating. Interment took place prior to the service at the Carstairs Cemetery. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Mountain View Funeral Chapel, Didsbury.

**LUFT, Lena Charlotte**  
Lena Luft passed away February 18, 2006 at the age of 94 years. Lena was born in the Bergen area on July 19, 1911. She met and married her loving husband, Henry Luft in 1932. Lena lost her husband in 1978. She was also predeceased by two sisters, Alma and Clara, and four brothers, Joe, Carl, Ed and George. She is survived by two daughters, Marion (Henry) Wiebe of Leduc, and Jean Luft of Red Deer; three sons: Clarence (Doreen) Luft of Calgary, Allen (Marion) Luft of Olds and Lavern Luft of Calgary. She will be sadly missed by her family, relatives and numerous friends. Abiding by her wishes, there will be a private funeral for her immediate family on Friday, February 24, 2006. Interment at the Didsbury Cemetery. In lieu of other tributes, donations may be made to the charity of one's choice.

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## 15 ANNOUNCEMENTS



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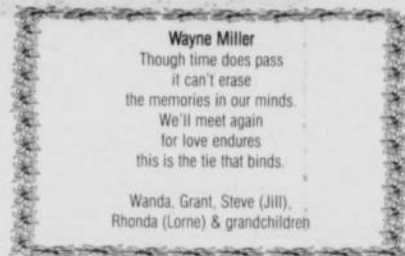
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**CAN YOU** qualify for payments of \$500/mo. but are short on down payment? Phone now, renovated 3 bdrm, 1 1/2 bath, appliances. Stan 403-807-0500. Comox Realty Group. 47-2t

## 565 SUITES: RENT

BACHELOR PAD (3 rooms), second storey, 1/2 block from schools, 1 block to downtown. Separate entrance & deck. Partially furnished inc. T.V. \$375.00 mo. \$375.00 D.D. includes utilities + cable. Ph: 335-3157. Avail. March 2/06. 48-2t

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## Community Resources

### HILDEBRAND MOTORS



### Goodwrench Service

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 Olds

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### Restaurant



Highway #27, Olds

### DIDSBURY

#### Citizens on Patrol

Didsbury/Carstairs. Driving in a neighbourhood near you. To volunteer call 335-8755.

#### Growing Opportunities

"GO" is a Canada Prenatal Nutrition Program that offers services to pregnant women and teens. Staff are on site every second Friday. 335-7292.

#### Special Families Resource Association

Support for families/caregivers of special needs children. Meetings now held on the 3rd Thurs. of every month in the Didsbury Hospital in the Educational Conference Room at 7 p.m. For more information contact Cindy at 335-4123.

#### Chamber of Commerce

Meets the 2nd Thursday each month. For more info please call 335-3265.

#### Didsbury TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Stacey at 335-4487 or Rosemary 335-2835.

#### Didsbury Environment Board

Meets once every month at the Town Office. For info call the Town Office 335-3391.

#### Beaver's

Tues. 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

#### Didsbury Museum

Hours: Tues., Wed., Thurs., 12:30 - 4:30 p.m. Saturday: 1 - 5 p.m., special occasions & anytime by appointment. Please call Joan Court at 335-8392 or Larry Hunsperger at 335-3284.

#### Toy Library

Why buy when you can borrow? Many toys available to take home for 2 weeks at a time. Call Kerri at 335-8040 for more information. Brought to you by the Child & Youth Clubs of Didsbury.

#### Time Out

Child & Youth Clubs of Didsbury's Mom's Time Out and Dads Too program. At Knox United Church, Mondays 10-11:30 a.m. Nominal babysitting fee. We have started up again for the fall. Call 335-4270.

#### King Hiram Lodge #21

Has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month.

#### St. Hilda Chapter #27 O.E.S.

Has its regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. Call Marg Steckler at 335-4281.

#### Didsbury Senior Support Services

Co-ordinates assistance for seniors. Call 335-4391.

#### Sons Of Norway

Meets the 4th Monday of every month at 8 p.m. at Evergreen Centre in Olds. All welcome. Call 556-2401 or 337-2037 for more information.

#### Learning Disabilities

Mtn. View Chapter. Support and info for parents and teachers dealing with learning disabilities. For info call Susan at 335-3174.

#### Didsbury Preschool

Is now accepting registrations for 2005-2006 school year. This non-profit organization offers educational and social programming for children 3 to 5 years old. For information or to register your child, please call. Cherrie 335-8818 or 335-8039.

#### Gamblers Anonymous

Scheduled Monday, January 22 from 7 - 9 p.m. in the Assembly Room at the Hospital Unit 4.

#### Didsbury-Dial-A-Bus

Scheduled transportation for anyone on Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays 9 - 3. Please call day prior or by 8:00 a.m. for pick up. 507-0208. Wheelchair accessible. Sponsored by the Didsbury Lions Club.

#### Mountain View La Leche League

A group which offers information and support for breastfeeding mothers. We also meet the 3rd Tuesday mornings of each month 10 a.m. Olds Scout Hall. Phone 556-3807 for information.

#### Didsbury Mental Health Clinic

Provides free accessible mental health services. Which incl. assessments, individual family & group counselling & crisis intervention. Mon. to Fri. 8:30-4:00.

#### Alcoholics Anonymous

Meetings Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 21 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Colleen at 335-8484 or Rick at 335-9525.

#### Didsbury Five-0 Singers

50 years of age or over? You are invited to join Tuesday evenings 7:00 p.m. at the Didsbury 5-0 Club 2500-15 Ave.

#### Ag Info Centre

Your direct Link to Alberta Agriculture's people, services, and

professional production information. 1-866-882-7677.

#### Darts

Every Sunday at the Elks Hall at 1:00 p.m. Everyone welcome to play.

#### Canadian Weight awareness - CHAMPS Cub Inc.

A Non-profit weight loss support organization which meets weekly. We are open to men and ladies whom share a common concern of managing their weight sensibly. For more information call 1-866-444-7682.

#### Wado Kai Karate

Adults and children on Tuesdays in Didsbury. Wednesday in Olds. For more information call Rathe (403) 559-7284.

#### Hall Rental

To Rent Rosebud Hall, please call 335-1969.

#### 5-0 Club Hall Rentals

For Hall rentals &/or info regarding the hall please call Bea Niederleiner 335-3058.

#### Hall Rental

To Rent Mountain View Community Hall for meetings, community events, family or group reunions call John 335-8860.

#### Blitz For Blankets

We are collecting gently used blankets for the homeless? Mustard Seed. You can drop them off at Didsbury Market Place.

#### Hall Rental

The Fallen Timber Community Hall offers an ideal place for quiet safety meetings or fabulous social activities. Please contact Esther McMullen for more info at 637-2270.

#### OLDS

#### Sundre Toastmasters

Meetings every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in Sundre. Call Sue at 335-9477 for more information.

#### Mountain View Sheep Producers

Meetings on the first Monday of each month from October to June, at 7:30 p.m. in Olds. Call Sue at 335-9477 for more information.

#### Adoption Support Group

Of Olds and area meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month. For more information contact Susan at 335-8540.

#### W.H.O.A.S

Wild Horses of Alberta Society. Help preserve these magnificent animals in their natural environment. Meetings are the first Tues. of every month at Olds Cow Palace, 8 p.m. Call Doreen at 556-6167 for more information.

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Three Bedroom townhouse  
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1100+ sq ft townhouse under  
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Bright 2 bedroom bungalow  
large lot totally remodelled  
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## New Home \$165,900

Brand new home not finished yet  
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Brand new home not finished yet  
2 bed 2 bath vaulted ceilings  
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## Brand New Home

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1088 sq ft Bungalow  
Large master + 2 decks  
10 Valarosa Dr Didsbury



## Heritage Home \$178,500

2700 sq ft two-storey large lot Zoned  
RC, Good location- lots of potential  
1919 14 St Didsbury



## New Home \$189,900

1225 sq ft 3 bed 2 bath deck  
New subdivision walkout bsmt  
1170 Kildeer Close Didsbury



## NEW LISTING \$189,900

Brand new 3 bed 2 bath  
Walkout Basement ready 2006  
1178 Kildeer Close Didsbury



## NEW LISTING \$214,500

Brand new home new subdivision  
1157 sq ft dbl garage  
1175 Kildeer Close Didsbury



## Valley View \$209,900

Brand new home not finished yet  
Backing onto Rosebud Creek  
27 Valarosa Drive Didsbury



## NEW LISTING \$210,000

Classy bungalow shows great  
3 bed 3 bath finished basement  
2510 15 Ave Didsbury



## Location Location \$211,050

Brand new home in culdesac  
5 year warranty 1413 sq ft  
104 Westridge Pl Didsbury



## Room to Roam \$212,900

Charming character home  
in great condition on large lot  
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Brand new home on large lot  
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2004 Beautiful 1345 sq ft home  
close to schools, vaulted ceilings  
42 Meadowview Court Didsbury



## Mountain View \$277,500

Executive home, walkout, 3 bed  
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